

## The Citizen.

## HERE AND THERE.

The subject of German history is apparently exhausted, for awhile at least, as the meeting of the winter was held yesterday afternoon, the topic being "The Story of Germany." The members of the Club sent to Mrs. Davis, at whose home all the meetings have been held, a bouquet of most beautiful flowers, roses, carnations, and violets.

At the close of the lecture Mr. Lyon asked the ladies in Mrs. Da's name for a longer time, and as she has been for some time engaged in her room, the ladies were invited there, where a delightful tea was served, which everyone enjoyed, perhaps more than Mrs. Da herself, for so long she has been unable to mingle with her friends.

Mr. Lyon presented each member of the Club with a pamphlet containing a summary of the entire course of lectures.

The English Club held its usual meeting yesterday evening at the residence of Mr. George Biggs, and devoted its attention to subjects artistic.

The paper on "American Art and Art," was read by Mrs. S. W. Duffield, and the members of the Club provided what will be called "Miscellaneous Information."

Mr. Wilson's remarks on architecture will be explained by that author, it is not easy to handle such topics as Arts houses, but Mr. Clark had difficulty in bringing many very interesting illustrations of the division of the subject assigned to him.

As yet no hand to report on sculpture, but the secretary has no time for models, fortnightly while there's a new church to be built.

The practical illustration of the subject of the evening is exceedingly entertain-

ing, at what if the Club should be seized

with a passion for natural history, and I will do my best to bring up interesting subjects, and come later on bringing

subjects for discussion—for every

day in heaven on earth seems to be

open to that philosophy.

The next meeting will be held at Mr.

Biggs' to talk of the subject of "Village Improvement," Mr. Capen shall direct

attention now in order that the Club

may have time to do such an

assessing of approving that criticism

and suggestion will be unnecessary.

A lot of boys has been organized in

connection with Rev. F. J. Goodwin under

the name of "Harry Wadsworth Club,"

like the others of the same name,

amongst others of Edward Everett Hale's

"Ten Lads" type."

The Shakespeare Club had but a small audience this week. One of the most interesting, Miss Peale, was, yesterday, at the Board Brook, N. J., to attend

the funeral of her grandmother, and many

of the other members were obtained owing to the unpleasantness of the weather.

Next Tuesday evening the ladies of the

Young Society of Westminster Church

opposed to give a tea in the church par-

sonalities interested in the work.

After the meetings will be discon-

tinued until next Fall.

At the present rapid rate of "breaking

the winter" that every thing is

up to the Humble Individual will be

impelled to put his remarks in LARGE

CAPITALS, like this, to fill up the

dead space.

Will some one have the kindness to do

somewhat exceedingly entertaining

pieces, in order that we may have the

extreme pleasure of admiring in a few com-

pacts on the subject?

Some bit of sarcasm as the East Or-

ange R. & G. gives us this week! Truly

it is meant to be wondered at, that we

have the courage to go on existing under such

oppressing circumstances. And of course

is the fault of that universal scapgeon,

the Humble Individual.

It was all about a bit of information

in the abiding place of two of the

most sociable held some time ago

—Mrs. Davis. Some one said "New

York" and then added "not Glen Ridge"

or Rosedale, and what can you expect

such a person to say in such a case?

The man has told, of course, "It's the

Truth. The woman gave it me," and

"Now right. So this same East Orange

very seriously requests to know

whether they live when they're at

home. Well, we will be quite frank with

the facts. As the Humble Individual

has the advantage of having all his

associates infested with witty tick-

les, the "Ten Cent" order, and

so on, he is obliged

to give up the paper, but the

paper is not difficult to find.

—The ladies of the Park M. E. Church

will hold a sale of home-made cake in

the new store of Mr. W. S. Cooper, two

doors from Post Office on Saturday,

March 30th, from 4 until 9 o'clock.

A liberal patronage of the ladies of the

church is desired.

—The phonograph entertainment adver-

tised in another column will be something

new and exceedingly interesting. There

will be singing by local talent in phono-

graph and then repeated therefrom, thus

showing the actual working of this won-

derful invention. Remember the place

and the date and arrange to attend.

—The "office" that remained after the

demolition of Dodd's saw mill on Glen-

wood avenue was set on fire Tuesday

night, and called out the Bloomfield de-

partment. It was very nearly consumed.

A ton of dynamite was removed

from an adjacent shanty only the Satu-

rday previous.

—On Monday evening the annual meet-

ing of the Young People's Association of

the Park M. E. Church was held, at which

time the following were elected officers:

for the ensuing year, viz: President, G.

Lewis; Vice-President, Frank H.

Baker; Treasurer, Mrs. F. E. Langstroth;

Secretary, Stanton Bullock; Assistant

Secretary, Mrs. J. L. Taylor. After the

election the Society was entertained by

some fine vocal and instrumental music,

and readings by Mr. Fred Mohrman,

a "pound socialie" completed the program

and proved very amusing to the mys-

terious packages were auctioned off.

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Township Committee.  
The newly elected Township Committee met on Wednesday evening, organized, appointed committees, and adjourned until Monday evening next without transacting further business.

The organization and appointments are as follows:

Chairman of Committee, Theo. H. Ward; Committee on Public Ground, Dodd and Benson; Committee on Poor, Seibert and Cook; Roads, Dodd and Benson; Sidewalks, Benson and Dodd; Fire Committee, Cook and Benson; Water Committee, Cook and Seibert; Gas lighting, Benson and Seibert; Crosswalks, Dodd and Benson; Dr. H. E. Richards, Dr. Wm. H. Reiner, Town Surveyor, and Dr. G. H. Baily, Town Physician. C. L. Voorhees qualified as Overseer of the Poor, A. C. Marr, as Collector, and Edward F. Farand as Township Clerk. Geo. M. Cadmus, James Foster and John V. Smith qualified as Constables. The Poundkeepers appointed for the year were: Geo. Thomas, Abram Yerence, Wm. J. Williamson, Jas. Berry and A. H. Kent.

Glen Ridge Club.

The fortnightly reception at the Club House Wednesday evening was one of the most successful of the series.

Owing to circumstances over which the committee had no control, the proposed comedietta had to be abandoned, and in its place was given a programme about as follows: A couple of brilliant duets for the piano, by Mrs. Ward and Miss Hanse; a piano solo by Miss Rouget; two songs by Mrs. Skinner, whose rich contralto voice, and faultless style deserved and received most hearty applause; Mrs. Skinner was assisted by Mr. Wm. Carl, accompanist.

The "Home Talent" part of the programme consisted of some tableaux vivants, which were very creditable considering that they were given with almost no previous preparation, and on a stage much too small for the purpose; then there was an exhibition by Prof. Gregor, who handled plates, cabbons balls, swords, bottles etc., with marvelous skill and recklessness. The last and best feature of the white beauty" recited by Mr. Lockwood, and acted by six women in white; "the final fall of 'all that was left of them' brought down the house, and finished a very enjoyable evening. About a hundred ladies and gentlemen were present.

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The Last Lecture of the German Course.

Had the "Humble Individual"—who reports so graphically for THE CITIZEN—looked into the parlors of Mrs. Dr. Davis last Tuesday, P. M., another opportunity would have been given him to test the ability of his pen. There were there gathered, to listen to the last lecture of the course in German History, a goodly number of ladies, representative of the intelligence and culture of the community. The lecture was a résumé of the nine previous ones, with a glimpse into the future of the European nations. With the United States as an example, and two hundred years in which to follow, Millenial day of Republicanism will probably dawn upon those now unmetted nations.

In closing Mr. Lyon expressed

the thanks of the ladies and his own

to the Club for their kind hospitality in offering her parlors for the class.

Mrs. Davis, through him, also returned her thanks to the ladies for the lovely gift of flowers unexpectedly received from them that morning, at the same time inviting

them to tarry and take a cup of tea with

her. The cup of tea was beautifully served

and a delightful reception followed, when all had the happiness of greeting their hostess whose ill health had prevented her presence during the course.

However entertaining the previous lectures had been, all could truly say that the best of the wine had been kept for the last of the feast."

Fairview.

The meeting of the Fairview Heights Literary Society took place last Tuesday evening, March 19th, at the home of W. R. Hanna, on Harrison street, corner Newark Avenue. It was a very pleasant and enjoyable affair and adjourned at a late hour.

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BRIEF NOTES.

Bishop Starkey will preach and ad-

minister Confirmation at Christ Church, Liberty street, tomorrow (Sunday) morning at the half-past ten o'clock service.

Strangers will be cordially invited.

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